

Form PTO-1449 (MODIFIED)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. 51583/238	SERIAL NO.		
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i>		APPLICANT Gross et al.					
		FILING DATE	GROUP ART UNIT				
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
<i>lw</i>	A1	6,134,510	10/17/00	Deco et al.	702	179	1/21/98
	A2	6,119,111	9/12/00	Gross et al.	706	15	6/9/98
<i>l</i>	A3	6,107,919	8/22/00	Wilks et al.	340	511	2/24/99
<i>l</i>	A4	6,066,179	5/23/00	Allan	716	4	6/13/97
	A5	6,049,578	4/11/00	Senechal et al.	376	215	4/30/98
	A6	5,987,399	11/16/99	Wegerich et al.	702	183	1/14/98
<i>lw</i>	A7	5,971,580	10/26/99	Hall et al.	364	188	4/17/96
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION
							YES
OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
EXAMINER <i>Dickens, L.J.</i>		DATE CONSIDERED <i>3/8/02</i>					
<p>* EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include any copy of this form with next communication to applicant.</p>							

- * EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include any copy of this form with next communication to applicant.